

1908-09

*Memorandum*  
*Book*

Letter for William Yer

Dear Mr. H. L. Leonard &  
Mr. George H. Gammie  
25th and 16th Street  
Montgomery, N.Y.  
Dear Sirs, I enclose a copy  
of the possible medical  
records.

Book of the approach  
Cross road swift  
Get this right away.

Charles Canera  
16th Street

Aug 6th  
1907-S-8t.

George W. Turner  
1319 East 16th Ave.

Feb. 16

N.Y.

6551 ✓  
 6552 ✓  
 6553 ✓  
 6554 ✓  
 6555 ✓  
 6556 ✓  
 6557 ✓  
 6558 ✓  
 6559 ✓

not pregnant

8 pug.

St. Louis 67th Ward, <sup>♂</sup> Carpenter

5 feet to eye BB &amp; S. A.

♀ Long tail - York

6560 ✓ 10v Peacock

6561 ✓ 11v

6562 ✓ 12v <sup>♂</sup> *Clarina*15490 ✓ 13v <sup>♂</sup> *Spa.*

15490 ✓ 2v

15492 ✓

6563 ✓ 14v <sup>♂</sup> Long tail - York6564 ✓ 15v <sup>♂</sup> 13 <sup>♂</sup> *Spa.* imp. 5 very small. <sup>♂</sup> *Spa.*

6565 ✓ 16v

6566 ✓ 17v

11 16v <sup>♂</sup> *Spa.* <sup>♂</sup> *Spa.*

Mar. 26 1908

♀ ad. 156; 68; 20.5; 29; 11.5  
 ♀ ad. 153; 68; 20.5; 29; 12.  
 ♂ ad. 127; 28; 21.5; 32.  
 ♀ ad. 163; 215; 68; 73; 13; 24; 20.5.  
 ♀ ad. 163; 212; 66; 73; 13; 21; 22.

Long tail - York

♀ ad. 156; 68; 20.5; 29; 11.5  
 ♀ ad. 153; 68; 20.5; 29; 12.  
 ♂ ad. 127; 28; 21.5; 32.  
 ♀ ad. 163; 215; 68; 73; 13; 24; 20.5.  
 ♀ ad. 163; 212; 66; 73; 13; 21; 22.

Utah 28, 1908.

♂ ad. 179; 80; 20; 30; 13.  
 ♀ ad. 163; 210; 64; 74; 13; 20.5; 19.  
 ♂ ad. 181; 81; 20.7; 31; 14.  
 ♂ ad. 155; 70; 19.5; 25.5; 12.  
 ♂ ad. 127; 66; 18.

N.Y.

March 30, 1908

6567 ✓ 74 ✓  
 6568 ✓ 70 ✓  
 15493 4 ✓  
 15494 5 ✓

6569 ✓ 79 ✓  
 6570 ✓ 71 ✓  
 ✓ v *Peromyscus*  
 6571 ✓ 71 ✓  
 ✓ 71 ✓  
 6572 ✓

15495 ✓ *Microtus flaviventris*

15496 ✓

15497 ✓

15498 ✓ *Peromyscus*

6573 ✓ *Peromyscus*  
 6574 ✓ *Thomomys* sp.

6575 ✓ *Peromyscus*

♀ ad.  
 ♀ ad.  
 ♀ ad.  
 ♀ ad.  
 ♀ ad.

♀ ad.  
 ♀ ad.  
 ♀ ad.  
 ♀ ad.

♀ ad.  
 ♀ ad.  
 ♀ ad.  
 ♀ ad.

♂ ad.

♂ ad.  
 ♀ imm.

♂ ad.

158; 69; 21; 12; 28  
 158; 67; 19.5; ~; 28  
 160; 212; 64; 65; 15.2; 22; 20.  
 162; 215; 66; 70; 12.8; 23; 21.  
(61; 14.1; 28.)

160; 43; 12.3; 21.4; 2  
 157; 68; 20; 28.5; ~  
 160; 215; 66; 70; 12.8; 23; 21.  
(long fibra)

March 30, 1908. 70?

170; 228; 70; 78; 22; 21.5

170; 80; 20; 29; 12.5

Skull only.

Op. 10, 1908.

105; 41; 43.5; 13; Head, 20.5

April 12, 1908.

6576 ✓ 2 ✓ *Peromyscus maniculatus* ad.  
6577 ✓ *Peromyscus maniculatus* ad. 18  
6578 ✓ 1 ✓ " " ad.

103; 38; 42.5; 12.1; 20.3.

ad. 165; 73; 20; 30; 13.

147; 77; 20.5; 9; 12.5.

ad. 13; 17; 18

170; 73; 21; 30; 12.5. 4 females

165; 23.5; 70; 75; 13.1; 28; 20

April 18, 1908.

157; 69; 20; 29; 12.5 mm.

♀ ad. 18

106 42; 13; 2.3 female

April 22, 1908

April 22, 1908.

101; 40; 12; 2.1. In formalin

140 33; 38.5; 12; 27 skin + skull

174; 78; 20; 30; 12.5. In formalin

April 27, 1908.

In formalin.

In formalin.

265; 81; 74; skin and (broken) skull

6579 ✓ 9 ✓ *Peromyscus maniculatus* ad.  
15498 ✓ 13 *Mus musculus* ad.

Fort Totten, Long Island, New York.

6580 ✓ 30 ✓ *Peromyscus maniculatus* norboracensis ad.

Fort Totten, Long Island, New York.

6581 ✓ 31 ✓ *Peromyscus maniculatus* ad.

15500 ✓ 11 *Mus musculus* ad.

15501 ✓ 12 " ad.

6582 Fort Totten, Long Island, N.Y.

32 ✓ *Doromys prororatus* ad.

6583 ✓ 33 ✓ *Blarina brevicauda* ad.

6584 ✓ 34 ✓ *Peromyscus l. norboracensis* ad.

Fort Totten, New York.

6585 ✓ 35 ✓ *Blarina* ad.

6586 ✓ 36 ✓ *Peromyscus* ad.

6587 ✓ 37 ✓ *Peromyscus maniculatus* ad. 570

Yours, etc. New York  
Information.  
do  
 $do = 35$   
 $do = 36$   
do

Ft. Totten, New York

6588 Nov. 4, 1908 ✓ *Fiber zibethicus* ♀ ad.  
 ✓ 38. *Fiber zibethicus* ♀ ad.  
 Length 600; tail, 300.  
 hind foot, 86.  
 Skeleton and skull.

6589 Nov. 13, 1908 ✓ *Fiber zibethicus* ♀ imm.  
 ✓ 39. *Fiber zibethicus* ♀ imm.  
 525; 245; 81

6590 Nov. 17, 1908. ✓ *Fiber zibethicus* ♀ imm.  
 ✓ 40. *Fiber zibethicus* ♀ imm.  
 515; 248; 79

6591 *Sciurus e. leucotis* ad.  
 Skeleton. Ft. Totten  
 1908.

Birds.

Nov. 2, 1908. Ft. Totten.

1550 ♂ *Sturnus* ♂ ad.  
 1550 ♂ <sup>4"</sup> *Yallen* Nov. 3, 1908. ♂ ad.  
 1550 ♂ *Sturnus* ♂ ad.  
 1550 ♂ *Dendrocia striata* ♀ ad.

427 1/2 St.

Albion, N.Y.  
(40 miles. N. of B'klyn.)

W. G. Langbein  
212 S. Grant St.  
Circleville, Ohio.

W. G. Langbein  
623 Grand St.,  
Troy, N.Y.

THIS PAGE FROM MEARNS' NOTEBOOK DESCRIBES  
THE BEGINNING OF THE EXPEDITION.

July 12, 1909.

July 12, 1909, the  
President set out  
from New York in search  
of a scientific expedition  
to Africa, fitted out by  
the Smithsonian Institution  
and United States National  
Museum. The objects  
of the expedition  
are to collect natural  
history materials for  
the National Museum.  
Early in the next  
day Whitehead  
and Roosevelt, member  
of native porters, who  
will be necessary animals  
will be procured with a  
small caravan, and to  
the charge of Mr. R. J.  
Loring Ward, who is now  
in charge of the President's

advice.

Besides the President  
and his son Hermit  
Roosevelt, the personnel  
of the party, on leaving  
New York, will consist  
of three representatives  
of the Smithsonian Institu-  
tion: Mr. George  
C. Shedd, of the Zoological  
(retired), Mr. Edmund  
Heller, and Mr. George  
Carver. It is also possible  
that Mrs. Roosevelt's phys-  
ician will send a  
professional photographer  
to Africa; but it is not  
understood that he ~~would~~  
~~be~~ permanently  
associated with the hunting  
party in the field, as

Yours, with best regards  
to the natural products, in  
of the collection.

Mr. Roosevelt and his  
son will be under his name,  
the son and his friends of  
which will be engaged in  
a field in the United States  
of the remaining members  
of the party.

The natural collections  
are very difficult in natural  
history materials from  
the Dark Continent; but  
an effort will be made  
to gather general collec-  
tions in zoology and  
botany to supply the scientific  
circles. But the <sup>excellent</sup> large  
mammals will receive  
the best care in the chief

consideration of the  
collectors.

Mr. Robert Bunting home,  
Mr. & is now engaged  
in assembling the materials  
for Mr. Roosevelt's ~~use~~  
~~and has much experience~~  
there been employed to  
act as guide and manager  
of the caravan. He is  
also an experienced  
collector of natural history  
specimens, having made  
collections for the British  
Museum in Norway  
and Africa.

He is an English field  
man, who has guided  
numerous hunting  
parties in Africa. He was  
chief hunter for the Field  
Columbian Exposition.

Mr. Edmund G. Heller, a graduate of Stanford University, class of 1901, is a thoroughly trained naturalist, and the student will be well prepared to go abroad, preserving a fine collection of rare animals. His Mr. Heller is about 30 years of age, and his wife is about 25, and his home is situated in the big game parks of Africa which Mr. Roosevelt will visit, while associated with Mr. Peccary and Dr. G. Elliot in collecting big game animals for the Field Columbian Museum, will render Mr. Heller's services especially valuable. Mr. Heller has had

large experience in animal collecting in Britain, British America, United States, Mexico, Central America and South America. In the year 1898 he made a collecting trip of 11 months to the Flamingo Islands, from San Francisco, being a born and enthusiastic collector, and, also, a well equipped naturalist, having written papers on mammals, birds, reptiles, and fishes. He is now assistant curator of the Museum of Vertebrate Zoology of the University of California.

Mr. J. C. Strong  
is a ~~lithograph~~ field  
naturalist, whose family  
and his services in the  
Biological Survey, at  
Washington, D. C., and on  
the U. S. Fish Commission  
Vessel, New York, during  
various oceanic  
exploring trips through  
British Columbia, Mexico,  
and the United States.

He is about 38 years old,  
of robust temperament,  
and intense energy. In  
August, September, and  
October, 1898, he made  
the highest record for  
a travelling mammal  
collector, having sent  
in <sup>to you</sup> 900 excellent specimens

of mammals, in ~~the~~ a  
journey from London  
through Sweden, Switzer-  
land, Germany,  
Switzerland and Belgium.

Major, Edwin A. Kearns,  
a retired officer of the  
medical corps of the  
army, about 53 years of  
age, will be the medical  
man of the trip. He has  
had 25 years' experience  
as an Army doctor, and  
is also known as a  
collector of natural  
history specimens.

The second member  
of the President's party  
has an excellent rifle  
shot, and no trifle  
need be feared for the  
President's safety while  
they are together.

The party will reach  
Mombasa in April, 1907.  
No detailed itinerary ~~can~~  
be has been decided upon.  
But the general route will  
be up the Uganda  
Railway to Nairobi and  
Lake Victoria, Nyanza,  
<sup>about 650 miles by rail</sup>  
thence ~~across~~ crossing  
into Uganda, and, finally,  
passing down the Nile  
to Khartoum and Cairo.

Much of the hunting will  
be done in British East  
Africa, where the Uganda  
Railroad can be used  
as a base of supplies  
and means of ready trans-  
portation. At least one  
<sup>possibly innum</sup> great mountain will be  
visited.

Khartum will be  
reached, if all goes  
well, about April, 1915.

1812 Patient  
transferred to "H" <sup>1812</sup>  
first floor, 1st. fl.  
In early 1813  
C. & B. 1813.

Ho. 1. - *Canis lupus*  
in Canada,  
the <sup>U.S.</sup> <sup>Magadan</sup>  
Russia, Scotland,  
and Belgium.

3 months from London -  
900 skins in August  
1898  
Winnipeg, N.D.  
First time  
N.Y. <sup>Expo.</sup>

Combahee  
The Right Honorable Sir R. G. L. M. of  
the Cabinet of War, an English  
gentleman, who has guarded  
numerous beasts. He has  
in office a collection of mammals  
in London for the British  
Museum; was chief hunter  
for the Queen Victoria in Windsor  
Forest.

Who is Amos Arthur Heller  
name, wife -

S. Am. Mex. C. Am.  
Vall. 30 years  
Elizabet D. Heller

Age: 36 years old  
Nov 1911 shot.  
England.

Heller grad. at ~~St. Louis~~  
Stanford University,  
Calif. now, 38 years  
Botan collector & author  
Galapagos Isls  
Stamford '01 class  
Leverett Dry wit  
Alaska in 1900  
Galapagos Isls 1898 for 11 mos  
Has written on mammals,  
birds, reptiles, fishes  
At present he is assistant  
curator of University of Calif  
Mus. Vert. Zool. at Berkeley

6-2-93 3:00 p.m.  
Forester in charge of his  
Hill No. 1688.

R.R. Fisher  
The Plymouth  
Flat 44, 4th fl., tower.

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Terry Day note book

6558

131)

6581

Alcoholic

6585

Alcoholic

6563

6582

Alcohol

6586

136  
Alcohol

6554  
Oriental

6584

Alcoh.  
34

6591

Serious  
skelton